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Article - Environment

Section 6-601 through 6-608, inclusive, and the subtitle "Subtitle 6. Lead Poisoning"

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1993 Replacement Volume)

~~SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:~~

~~Article - Environment~~

~~SUBTITLE 8. REDUCTION OF LEAD RISK IN HOUSING~~

~~PART I. DEFINITIONS; GENERAL PROVISIONS~~

~~6-801.~~

~~(A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.~~

~~(B) (1) "AFFECTED PROPERTY" MEANS A PROPERTY CONSTRUCTED BEFORE 1950 WHICH CONTAINS:~~

~~(I) AT LEAST ONE RENTAL DWELLING UNIT; OR~~

~~(II) A CHILD CARE CENTER.~~

~~(2) "AFFECTED PROPERTY" INCLUDES AN INDIVIDUAL RENTAL DWELLING UNIT WITHIN A MULTI-FAMILY RENTAL DWELLING.~~

~~(C) "CHILD" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL UNDER THE AGE OF 6 YEARS.~~

~~(D) (1) "CHILD CARE CENTER" MEANS AN AGENCY, INSTITUTION, OR ESTABLISHMENT THAT, FOR PART OR ALL OF A DAY, OR ON A 24 HOUR BASIS ON A REGULAR SCHEDULE, AND AT LEAST TWICE A WEEK, OFFERS OR PROVIDES CHILD CARE TO CHILDREN WHO DO NOT HAVE THE SAME PARENTAGE EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR IN LAW OR REGULATION.~~

~~(2) "CHILD CARE CENTER" INCLUDES ANY NONPUBLIC SCHOOL IN WHICH AN INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM IS OFFERED OR PROVIDED TO A CHILD.~~

~~(E) "COMMISSION" MEANS THE LEAD POISONING PREVENTION COMMISSION.~~

~~(F) "ELEVATED BLOOD LEAD" OR "EBL" MEANS A QUANTITY OF LEAD IN WHOLE VENOUS BLOOD, EXPRESSED IN MICROGRAMS PER DECILITER (UG/DL), THAT EXCEEDS THE LEVEL DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT BY REGULATION.~~

~~(G) (1) "EXTERIOR SURFACES" MEANS ALL SURFACES LOCATED ON THE EXTERIOR OF AN AFFECTED PROPERTY THAT ARE ACCESSIBLE TO A CHILD OR ARE ADJACENT TO, OR CLOSE BY, AREAS FREQUENTED BY A CHILD.~~

~~(2) "EXTERIOR SURFACES" DO NOT INCLUDE:~~